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# News Briefs

Olympic Torch July 5
Belle Glade's hometown hero
Frances "Dolly" Hand will carry

Frances "Dolly" Hand will carry the Olympic Torch on Friday, July 5 in Lake Worth. Details were sketchy at press time, but it appears Mrs. Hand will be running at 10:09 p.m., starting at the corner of Dixie Highway and Valley Forgs Road in Lake Worth (just past the Eckerd Drug store). Eckerd Drug store).

Those who plan to show their

support by attending the event can call *The Sun* newspaper at 996-4404 for more details.

### Cablevision Industries

Cablevision Industries
to change its name
Cablevision Industries,
known in the area as CVI,
will change its name to Time
Warner Cable, effective
September I, 1996. The
name change results from
the merger of CVI and Time
Warner Cable, which closed
on January 4 of this year.
We are looking forward to
the challenge of bringing a
new name into this community. We're the same people,
just with new possibilities,
says Time Warner Cable
General Manager. Dan
LeCroix.
Time Warner Cable serves.
5,700 customers in the Belle
Glade and Pahokee area.

Children accepted free Lutheran Ministries of Florida, PEPPI Head Start, is now recruiting and accept-ing applications for 3 & 4 year old children for sum-mer and fall of 1996.

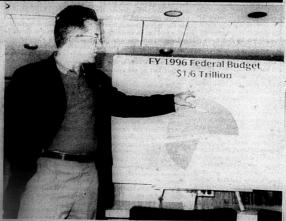
mer and fall of 1996.
All children are welcome,
including those with disabilities and there are no fees.
The center is located at 200
S.W. 9th Street, Belle Glade.
For more information, call
996.1718. 996-1718

New AA group forms
The New Hope Group, a
new Alcoholics Anonymous
meeting, will be held each
Sunday at 7 p.m. at the New
Hope Family Center, 7450
State Road 15, U.S. 441,
Pahokee. Open discussion is
encouraged and refreshments will be served. Everyone is welcome to attend.
For information and/or
transportation, call Milagros
at. 342-7947, or Harry at
305-567-9125.

Support group offered
The Alzheimer's Association is looking to start a
Support Group for caregivers of dementia victims. givers of dementia victims. If you have any input on the place this meeting should be held in your area, contact Jackie Osborne at 924-7283 from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m.

#### Boys and Girls Club

Boys and Girls Club
Reynolds Recycling and
the Boys & Girls Clubs of
Palm Beach County want
your aluminum cans. The
two organizations have
launched an aluminum can
recycling drive which is taking place now through June
30. All funds raised will benefit the Boys & Girls Clubs
of Palm Beach County.
In Belle Glade, Reynolds
Recycling is located at the
corner of 9th Street and
North Canal Street.



CONGRESSMAN MARK FOLEY IN THE GLADES... In a meeting with Glades residents held at the Belle Glade City Hall Saturday, June 22, Congressman Mark Foley discussed ways to balance the Feder-al Budget.

## Congressman Foley talks one-on-one with Glades residents

By Buffie Chapman Staff Writer

Glades residents had a chance to talk one-on-one with Congressman mark Foley but many slept in this Saturday.

many slept in this Saturday.
Only approximately 10 citizens attended the meeting
Saturday morning, June 22, at
Belle Glade City hall to discuss politics with Congressman Foley.
Foley has been traveling the
district talking about the budget, saying the federal budget
is probably one of the biggest
debates going on in Washing-

debates going on in Washing ton for the last 16 to 17months.

"The reason we are so focused on reducing the deficit is because it would yield personal savings to the consumer,

and that is the difference of a balanced budget, said Foley. Foley mentioned one way to reduce the federal deficit would be to cut spending on wasteful projects. Some of the wasteful projects Foley high-lighted were.

wasteful projects Foley high-lighted were:
• \$200 million given to elec-tric subsidies. The REA (Rural Electric Subsidies) was created when there was a lack of elec-tricity in some rural pars of this nation. Foley stated we are 100 percent electrified in almost every place that wante are 100 percent electrified in almost every place that wants electric power in our nation today but we continue to spend the \$300 million annually.

• \$54 billion is spent on the Food stamp and Welfare Programs. There is significant

(See BUDGET, Page 7)

### City of Belle Glade gets \$100,000 grant to make improvements at marina

City officials are excit City officials are excited to hear they have been awarded a \$100,00 grant by the Department of Environmental Protection to improve the Belle Glade Marina Campground.

Sue Teets, assistant to the city manager, says the city will begin later this year making improvements to the maylion and addites some features.

payline and sidding some features.

The Gity of Belle Glade will match the \$100,000 grant funding to make the improvements which will include the installation of a wooden observation deck will be an extension from the back side of the action from the back side of the action and the side of the existing pavilion toward the lagoon, and will be an area for nature watching, nature photography, picnickdoors at the pavilion, and the develop-ment of a waterfront picnic area and additional picnic tables are also

planned.

In addition, the city plans to start phase I to develop a nature walk around the campground and install bike racks at the pavilion. The nature walk is divided into three phases and will require increased funding in each other.

Approximately 50 Belle Glade Marina Campground residents participated in a survey in August of 1995 to determine what improvements should be made at the marina campground. Many of the improvements will be over Many of the improvements will be a five year period as funding is a able.

"We hope to build a bike path from ne dike down to the marina so we can

attract bicyclists who are traveling around the lake rim," said Mayor Steve Weeks. "We're really looking forward to upgrading the facilities at the marina."

Mrs. Bests, who was instrumental in applying: for the Florida Recreation Development Assistance Program through the Dept. of Environmental Protection, will be attending a Grant implementation Workshop on July 10-in Orlando. She said, she believes the grant funding will be released sometime after that meeting and work can begin in 1996. Over 100 municipalities in the state applied for the grant money and Belle Glade was one of only three to receive funding.

The city is also planning to use some of the funding and city matching funds to repair the pavilion foundation and resurface the shuffleboard courts and

recarpet the miniature golf course. Plans also include installing aluminum Plans also include installing aluminum light poles with lights, a first phase resurfacing the campyround access road and upgrading informational and directional signage at the marina. Mayor Weeks said the city hopes to cardinua to accura grant monies over

Mayor Weeks said the city hopes to continue to secure grant monies over the next five years to make additional imprevements act the finatine, including completing the access road resurfacing, extending the nature walk, upgrading the public boat ramps and parking and developing rest areas and installing park benches. By the year 2000, the city hopes to also install floating docks behind the marina pavilion and making many renovations to existing facilities.

ties.

"This is a very big project. We're looking ahead," he said.

# Larry's Video recognizes Freedom of Speech, but says "What about Freedom of Choice?"

Editor's note: In a front page story last week, the Belle Glade Ministerial Association called Gra citizen's boycott of four local video stores for selling pornographic materials. Video store. comer Larry Simmons responds to the story with the following commentary:

This is in refegence to the newspaper article in the June 20, 1996 issue of The Sun in which Rev. Craig Hartzog and

The Belle Glade Ministerial Association called for a boycott of video stores until what they refer to as pornography has been removed from the selec-tion of video tapes in each busi-ness.

First, I would like to say that I am a religious man, and I do believe in God. I also believe in

freedom of choice for everyone.

1. What is the Ministerial ciation trying to a

plish? It is trying to censor what you as adults have the right to see or read. They are passing judgement on those who choose to view adult entertainment in the privacy of their homes, stating that it is immoral to do so. This is clearly censorship and judging.

2. What is their intent? To get rid of all adult entertain.

get rid of all adult entertain-ment from our community, but are targeting only four video

stores. My video store stocks 1
percent "adult videos." The
choices available in the other
99 percent of video selections
are in the following categories:
Classics, Drama, Family, Westerns, Spanish, Sports, Comedy,
Science Fiction, Suspense,
Musical, Religion and Action.
The newspaper article
states:". Pestor Hartzog said
the association contacted not
only the video store owners,
but also merchants such as
grocers, convenience store owners and gas stations, requesting they drop the pornography
from their selection of tapes."
However, the pastor did not
call for a boycott of those businesses, only the video stores. I
believe the other businesses
mentioned largely sell adult
magazines. He also failed to.
call for a boycott of the cable

company, which provides adult entertainment in addition to their basic cable service, Nor did the Ministerial Association call for a boycot of satellite program providers and their subsidiary channels on which adult entertainment may be purchased separately. Nothing was said about the pornographic material which is available on the Internet, through mail order sources from adult magazines and the 1-900 "phone sex" numbers which are available. Doesn't it seem a little impossible to rid our community of all adult entertainment? company, which provides adult

entertainment?

3. What is the reason for the boycott? I quote a passage from letter sent to me by the Ministerial Association: "We feel that pornography is

(See Boycott, Page 5

# Two South Bay employees injured in roll-over accident

SOUTH BAY CITY VEHICLE, TRAILER, AND MOWER DAMAGED IN ROLL-OVER ACCIDENT; TWO INJURED...Pictured above are police officials, fire rescue personnel, and employees of Moss Towing were were trying to clean up the area surrounding the scene of the accident in order to

Traffic was backed-up at least a mile, for approximately an hiour in South Bay on Wechoesley, June 19. Two South Bay City employees. Fred Holland and Morris Petersky, were in a city vehicle, pulling a trailer that was holding a move when the accident occuped. Holland, 21, was driving the vehicle when witniesses said the

# Hurricane Hunters need a lot of faith in their aircraft and pilot

By Mike Lyon.
It is called a "penetration."
Robert Sheets, the former
director of the National Hurrieane Center, has done it
over 200 times. Robert
Burpee, the current director,
has over 250 "penetrations."
But, Harland Davis has
done it more often than anyone else. Harland Davis has
\*\*K50 "penetrations."

one else. Hander 550 "penetrations."

When a Hurricane Hunter through the eye

airplane flies through the eye of a hurricane it is called a "penetration." These flights obtain critical information about the storm-data that forecasters use to figure out where the hurricane may be

where the hurricane may be going next.

"The whole job of the outfit is collecting data," said hall and Davis. He should know. Davis has probably spent more time inside hurricanes than any other person.

For most of his adult life, Davis was part of a scientific team that explored tropical storms and hurricanes. Today, the 70 year old Davis lives a quiet life in Vero Beach. But, back in the



1950's and 1960's, he lived life on the edge.
"Normally, I would spend nine hours in the plane," he said. "If the storm is two said. "If the storm is two hours away, you're going to spend five hours flying to and from the storm. Then, when you get to the hurricane, we'd have five or six penetrations through the storm. That's the reason't have 550 penetrations out of 90 storms."
You must have enormous faith in your aircraft and your pilot to be a Hurricane Hunter. After all, this isn't exactly your typical airplane trip. Remember, these guys are flying into a hurricane on purpose. Sometimes, the ride

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can get pretty rough.

"We hit some turbulence and all of a sudden I was floating up about halfway to the ceiling," Davis remembers. "It was startling because all of a sudden you weren't anchored anymore." Davis says rule number one is to buckle your seat belt. Rule number two? Don't eat

Rule number two? Don't eat Rule number two Don't each lunch. "Motion sickness is something that some people have and some people don't," said Davis. Harland never got sick but he saw a lot of folks who weren't as fortu-

nate.
"One person in particular just got deathly sick on his first flight," said Davis. "But, he kept going and after about three flights he was okay. So, it's something you can get

One thing Davis never got One thing Davis never got over is the power of a hurri-cane. He's flown through every variety of tropical sys-tems-from weak depressions to powerful category five hur-ricanes. He has a profound respect for Mother Nature.

"I remember hurricane lines a very noweful hurri-

respect for Mother Nature.

'I remember hurricane
Inex, a very powerful hurricane," said Davis. His group
respected Inex so much that
they flew around the hurricane-not through it. But,
another plane wasn't so
lucky. That plane made it
back to Miami just barely.

'We went over to look at
that airplane and you
wouldn't believe that it would
fly, 'Davis said. 'The whole
faselage was twisted and the
fuel lines were dangling. Oh,
it was a terrible thing."

Despite that one slightly
bent airplane, Davis doesn't
consider his former job harardous. 'You might think it's
a dangerous occupation," he
said. "But, it's not because
these people have been flying
mand out of hurricanes! for

said. "But, it's not because these people have been flying in and out of hurricanes for years. They know what they're doing."
Thanks to them and people like Harland Davis, our knowledge of hurricanes con-

tinues to grow.

Mike Lyons is the weatherman for WPBF, Channel 25.

Healthfirst By Paula Swaford, R.N.

As members of our society, we need to understand that we have certain rights and responsibilities pertaining to the health care we receive. I don't know about you, but when I was growing up, the physician's word was law! No one would have thought to question his decisions for his patients. The same idea pertained to nurses and other health care professionals. It was just understood that they had our "best interest at heart' and would not do anything to endanger us in any way. We endanger us in any way. We had certain rights then, but we were not really aware of those specific rights, mainly due to

Today I would like to discuss some of our rights and respon-sibilities as patients in the health care system. We have the right to be informed of our rights prior to receiving any care. We have the right to be treated with consideration, respect, and full recognition of dignity and individuality, ding privacy in treatment, for personal needs and to care for personal needs and to have our property treated with

respect. We also have the right We also have the right to expect and be assured that the personnel who provide the care to us are qualified through education and experience to carry out the services for which they are responsible and that they are supervised according

Our medical records should be maintained in a confidential manner. The access to our records is limited to persons involved in our care only,

records is limited to persons involved in our care only, unless permission is given to disclose those medical records to someone else, in writing.

As a patient we have the right to be informed by a physician of our medical condition unless medically contraindicated, and to be afforded the opportunity to participate in the planning of our medical treatment and to refuse to participate in any experimental research. We also have the right to refuse treatment and to refuse to participate in any experimental research. We also have the right to refuse treatment to the strent permitted by law and to informed of the medical consequences of such refusal.

Now let's review some of the responsibilities that go along with being a patient in the system. Years ago I worked for a local doctor in his office. A "new" patient care in one day, and I asked her the general

"new" patient care in one day, and I asked her the general

questions, 'Why are you here today? What problem do you have?' Her reply was to say 'I want the doctor to tell me why I'm here. He's the doctor and if he knows his stuff, then I shouldn't have to tell him anything!' Well, needless to say, we weren't able to help her very much. Part of the responsibility of being a patient is to give accurate and complete health information concerning your past illnesses, hospitalizations, medications, allergies, and any other pertinent information. We have to ask for clarification on the spot - if we don't understand something the doctor has said to us. Don't be afraid to ask for additional the doctor has sant to us. One be afraid to ask for additional information. Voice any legiti-mate concerns or problems you may have. Be sure to be an active participant in the devel-opment of your individual plan of care. Know what the plan is of care. Know what the plan is and make it your business to learn as much about your con-dition as you can. After all it is your body and your life that will be affected.

will be affected.

It is also your responsibility to voice your displeasure and complain about a situation you do not feel good about. The voicing of a complaint should not affect your care. It is your right to expect the highest quality of care that is available to you. Don't settle for anything less!

Until next time, stay informed and stay healthy.

# Water District plans pulsed water releases from Lake Okeechobee

The South Florida Water Management District has initiated early level one pulse releases from Lake Okechobee to benefit the coastal astuaria. and littoral going in the lake. Discharges were initiated on June 12 into the Caloosahatchee and St. Lucie rivers, to lower the lake level and let ne chance for continuous eleases later this summer. Salinity conditions in the

Caloosahatchee and St. Lucie estuaries indicate that fresh water discharges would not be

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harmful at this time, according to John Neuharth, Office of Government and Public Affairs for the District.

for the District.

These delicate water bodies exist in a mix of salt and fresh water. The pulse release will last 10 days, after which time additional pulse releases may be considered. This discharge will not affect river residents, navigation or recreation.

The lavel one pulse releases

The level one pulse release rogram mimics natural rainfall. A pulse release begins with fresh water discharged to the St. Lucie and Caloosahatchee rivers from Lake Okeechobee, that peaks on day

two or three, and then tapers off over a three-day period.
Last year, due to 18 months of record rainfall, the District was forced to make continuous lake releases from August 1995

to late November 1995, wit pulse releases continuing into February 1996. A continuous fresh water

infusion can upset estuaries natural balance. Pulse releases today lessen the chance that such releases will be required later in the wet season.



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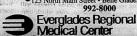
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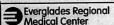
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ple who consistently apply themselves to the program become panic free and maintain those results for up to 24 months (the length of time for which there is research data).

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# OPINION



# Feel strongly about local issues?



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#### Praise for Belle Glade's Police Department

"Hi. I want to speak out to the griper...you know, the one with all the complaints about our

city police force.

If you have a problem with their services, go city police force.

If you have a problem with their services, go see Chief Miller personally, He'll listen. Or go sit in on some of the city council meetings and let them hear you out. Why don't you do something constructive to help - like suggest better ways, or go in training yourself. Then come back to Belle Glade and do a better job.

Better still, why not move to New York, Chicago, Washington, DC, Atlanta, Miami, Los Angeles, etc. See if they suit you better.

I'm not a law enforcement officer or a city council member, just a resident of Belle Glade' who's always had courteous response from my police department. Anytime that I have needed their services, they have been there for me. I'd rather live here than any of the above cities.

You get the message?

You get the message? Thank you."

## Should citizens boycott the

Tocal ministry?

"I am an employee of a local business that also rents videos. I have not spoken out in the past on many topies, because I am not without sin myself. Therefore, in the eyes of the Lord, I should not throw stones.

A person, en only dedge the stone throwers.

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A person can only donge the stone throwers those without sin?) for so long and then they must go to the scripture "An Eye for an Eye." My feelings are that if "John Doe" wants to speak out against something in the paper it is' ok. But for "Rev. John Doe" of "blank" church to speak out for the church, then it is wrong. The reverand should check on his flock before peaking on their behalf.

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I do not go to any area church, so I cannot

speak of their ministers. I have only had two spean or their ministers. I have only had two encounters with local ministers. A couple of months ago in a local eatery a minister came into the smoking area (with his wife, secretary or a friend) and was heard to say "I hope all these smokers choke to death."

Duck those stones!

Another area minister talked my daugh into going back to a husband who abused her and my granddaughter because "that was what wanted". It took another year before I could get them out.

Minister, clean your own house before you try cleaning mine!

I want to speak out a little on the ministry. I m a religious person. Note, I did not say a church-going person. As a teenager I attended church and your fellowship regularly. That is until our minister ran away with his secretary, leaving his wife and three children.

Clean your own house before cleaning mine! Then, there are the ministers on TV and in the newspapers who came out as sexual sin-ners. They never said it was due to watching

Clean your own house before cleaning mine! There is so much good that needs to be done and should be tackled by the ministry. But you know, I haven't seen too many articles in the paper by the ministry against drugs, rape, stealing, molestation, etc. I guess these are ok in the eyes of the ministry.

The ministry would rather attack the local.

hard working people who might be doing some-thing they do not approve of.

Clean your own house before you try cleaning

I can only say that it's a good thing the Lord

Clean your own house



I SEE THAT HELEN IS DOWNSIZING AGAIN . SHE'S UNLOADING HUSBAND NUMBER FOUR!

# Safety tips for the Fourth of July

By Bill Nelson State Treasurer, Insurance Commissioner and Fire Marshal

State Treasurer, Insurance Commissioner and Fire Marshal
Fireworks injuries are an unfortunate part of each Fourth of July. On average, firecrackers, sparklers and other fireworks cause 12,000 injuries nationwide each year.
As State Fire Marshal, I'm worried that random fireworks displays and other antics this Fourth of July will bring with them another series of accidents, injuries and even deaths. High-powered fireworks assortments are illegal in Florita. But, illegal or not, all fireworks are unpredictable, and can cause serious injury-even sparklers in the hands of children. In fact, more than one-hird of the fireworks-related anjuries in 1994 wers suffered by children, according to the Consumer Product Safety Commission! Duo in Flogida resulted in identification, according to the Consumer Product Safety Commission! Duo in Flogida resulted in identification, and, 16 percent were eye injuries.
In 1993, a young man in Broward County was killed while working with fireworks at his kitchen table. In 1994, two men died in fireworks accidents, one in Polk County when a backyard rocket exploded, the other in Broward County was a worker at a while fireworks dies

backyard rocket exploded, the other in Broward County when a mortar at a public fireworks dis-

play blew up.

Florida law prohibits the sale or use of fire'y works, except certain non-explosive products like sparkers and such. The law allows for the sale and use of novelty products and trick noise-makers, including smoke bombs, snake pellets, party poppers and similar products.

Under the law, the sale and use of illegal fireworks could result in a one-year jail term and a fine of up to \$1,000.

For a safer Fourth of July, follow these do's and-don't's:

ullet Keep fireworks out of the hands of children.

 Light sparklers in a clear area away from automobiles, homes, dry leaves and flammable materials such as charcoal lighter fluid or gasoline. Light only one sparkler at a time on a

smooth and flat surface, and only after reading the warning labels and instructions.

• Keep a bucket of water nearby, and

. Don't allow onlookers within 30 feet of any fireworks display.

We can celebrate the Fourth of July without

injury from firecrackers, sparklers and other fireworks - if we follow these few, simple safety

# Crimestoppers



Crime Stoppers of Palm Beach County, Inc. is asking for your help in locating Dora Elizabeth Simmons. She is walted for violation of probation on charges of first degree arson and failure to appear on charges of driving while her license was suspended.

Simmons is 5 '9" tall and weigha 130 pounds. She has black hair and brown eyes and her Social Security number is 266-73-8021. Her last known address was 157 17th Street,

Apartment B. Riviera Beach Apartment 8, Kiviera Beach.
Her birth date is May 14,
1963. Her last occupation is
unknown. Her warrant was
active as of June 18, 1996.

If you know the whereabouts of Simmons or anyone involved in a serious crime, call Crime Stoppers, at 1-800-458-8477. You do not have to give your

Remain anonymous receive a cash reward if your tip leads to an arrest or recovery of stolen property.



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# Ten ways to best manage stress

Where do you fall on the stress burnout scale? Whether a student, business person or parent, we alk know the feature of being overcome by stress. It selled burnout, which is a slow erosion of energy and zest. Burnout is the ongoing sum of all the events of tress and disillusionment in your life and the symptoms you expressed and disillusionment in your life and the symptoms you expressed and the symptoms you express and desillusionment in your life.

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lives of its cadets and LTC Donald Keeling, director of public affairs for the U.S. Army Cadet Command, has developed a list of "Ten Ways To Best Manage Stress."

They include:

 Stay Healthy. Nothing adds stress to one's life more than being unhealthy. Maintaining ideal body weight, blood pressure and cholesterol level will keep you in tip-top shape and ready to deal with life's many challenges.

2. Reduce caffeine, sugar and alcohol intake. Caffeine heightens anxiety and can make you feel jittery, anxious and nervous. Sugar drains

4. Visualize yourself in your favorite place. Find a comfortable posture and close your eyes. Imagine the most relaxed place you've ever been. Visualize lying on a beach, reading in a park, skiing on the world's largest mountain or star-gazing. Now, every time you begin feeling "stressed out" try to bring this special place to mind.

5. Take deep, slow breaths. Deep breathing increases oxy-gen to your brain and body, helping to clear your head. Slow breathing will help calm you down. Deep, slow breath-ing is a quick fix for instant relaxation.

8. Laugh. Watch a funny movie, read a book of comic strips or invite friends over for an evening of joke telling. A good laugh is the best way to reduce stress.

9. Surround your workspace with positive images. Put pictures of ones you love or environments that inspire you on the walls surrounding your workspace. Change these objects and images as needed so that they stay current and continually inspire.

inspire. 10. Roll with the punch Recognize that unexpected things happen in life (illness, inclement weather, extraneous work deadlines). Leave some "holes" in your schedule to accommodate these unplanned

**About letters** 

To voice your opinion about Glade's issues, or respond favorably or unfavorably to articles aper, ...
Id to:

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# Boycott.....Continued from Page 1 our store. Most of the people who were aware of them were those who saked for them, and went behind closed doors to make their selection. I would like to stress that we have more control over who views the adult tapes in our store than you do in your home. Just look around at what is available: 1-900 numbers for phone sex; the Internet on the computer; pay channels available by cable; adult entertainment beamed into your home from space via

man as well as a business man. I am a contributing member of this community. I believe I have a good reputation in my business and in my personal life. I consider myself an honest and fair minded person. I amas generous in my financial support of civic matters as my funds allow me to be. I sponsor a little League team and make many contributions. I will mention only a few, most of which are annual donations. American Heart Association, Palm Beach Community College, Gove Elementary School, Little League Association for hassball and football, all public and private school annual fund raising efforts, private fund raising efforts, private fund raising events for our citizens who have special needs, most recently Tom Wheeler. I donated a used van to the First Baptist Church of Belle Glade (of which Rev. Harttog is minister) so it could be refurbished and sent to a mission in Mexico. I donate to a number of churches in our area.

5. I would like to bring to the demoralizing and contributes to crimes against women and children, and to the breakdown of the family. My response to this is, let's look to a larger cause of these problems. I ask you, when is the last time you've heard of a family being killed by a car driven by someone under the influence of pornography? Have you ever heard of a man coming home and beating his wife and children while he was under the influence of pornography? Or leaving his family because he was under the influence of pornography? was under the influence of pornography?
These are much larger problems, and I feel the ministers of our churches would better serve the community by addressing and dealing with those matters by physically reaching out into the community and spreading their witness among troubled citizens who are in the midst of problems such as those mentioned above.

above.
4. My wife and I are reli 4. My wife and I are religious, and we are raising our children to be religious also. My roots in Belle Glade go back through four generations. I was raised here. My family lives her. I have strong ties to this community. I have continuing concerns about crime and other problems in Belle Glade. I do not believe I am a part of the problem. I do what I can to be part of the solution. My conscience is clear. I am a family

entertainment beamed into your home from space via stellite, magazines and mail order items from same, in addition to what is already present on basic cable.

I have this to say to the Belle Glade Ministerial Association: when you start advocating censorship, you are treading on dangerous ground. Today, you say I can't rent or sell adult movies, and if you press hard enough, maybe someday you can be instrumental in legislating your opinions into law. And if that can happen, maybe on some future tomorrow, in some

churches in our area.
5. I would like to bring to the

might be able to tell us that we cannot read our Bible. (After all, they already say we can't pray in public schools, and I have never agreed with that. Every man, woman, and child has the right to worship God at any place or time.)

Larry W. Simmons, Jr

5. I would like to bring to the Ministerial Associations atten-tion that their newspaper arti-cle has given much free adver-tising to the very thing they are trying to remove. After all, many of our close friends and business associates did not seen know we had adult tapes in our store, and we have been in business for more than 10 years. This is because we do not advertise them and we do not exploit them in/or around

Pahokee Police Dept. Arrest Blotter Pahokee, retail theft; Freddie Terry, 20, Pahokee, warrant for violation of probation; Gre-gory Dent, 28, Pahokee, pes-session of marijuana with intent to sell; Charles Free-man, 32, Pahokee, open con-tainer violation.

June 20 - Lavanda Evans, 23, Pahokee, affray Valeron Jones, 23, Pahokee, affray and disorderly conduct, Kathy Bennett, 24, Pahokee, fürgery, Latior Peete, 21, Pahokee, forgery, Kendel Scurry, 23, Pahokee, trespassing after warning; Juvenile, 16, Paho-kee, agravated battery, obstruction by fleeing and OJune 19 - Gus Butler, 34,

resisting arrest with violence. June 21 - Tyrone Alexander, 27, Pahokee, warrant for fail-ure to appear in court; Carlos Robinson, 32, Pahokee, loud music; J. Bostick, 25, Paho-tee, battery, Gregory Welke, battery; Gregory Walk-21, Pahokee, loud music.

me future tomorrow, in some totalitarian society, someone might be able to tell us that we

June 22 - Andre Dent, 20, Pahokee, trespassing and gam-bling; Karry Key, 20, Paho-kee, trespassing and gambling; Starretha Collier, 42, open container, possession of drug paraphernalia; Henry Kelly, 35, Pahokee, open container; Jose Rivera, 24, Pahokee, warrant for driving while license suspended.

#### June 18 - No arrests made.

The Pahokee Police Department made 24 arrests the week of June 16-22. Those arrested

r ticketed included:

or ticketed included:
June 16 - Brenda J. Hill, 35,
Pahokee, trespassing after
warning; Searey Hawkins,
57, Pahokee, open containe
gyiolation; Jesus Ortiz, 20,
Belle Glade, loitering and
prowling; Jesus Roero, 18,
Belle Glade, loitering and
prowling; Juvenile, 16, Belle
Glade, loitering and

June 17 - No arrests made.

#### Belle Glade Police Department Arrest Blotter

The Belle Glade Police Department handled 792 complaints the week of June 17 - June 23 and handled 21 crime scenes. Those arrested included.

June 17 - Ernest Johnson, 24 possession of a firearm by a

June 17 - Ernest Johnson, 24, possession of a firearm by a convicted felon; Craig Henderson, 22, aggravated battery, shooting into an occupied whicle and a person engaged in a criminal offense having a weapon; Veronica Donaldson, 25, retail theft; Tequesta Hardnett, 19, throwing a deadly missile, aggravated battery with a deadly weapon and criminal mischief; Raunel Gomez, 34, contempt of court; Gomez, 34, contempt of court; Jose Gonzales, 25, disorderly

June 18 - Erica Bledsoe, 23, disorderly conduct and trea-passing after a warning; on a law enforcement officer, Blchard McCrae, 35, domes-tic battery; Cynthia Nixon, 25, domestic battery.

June 19 - Juvenile, 17, auto burglary; Johnny Kleckley, 19, auto burglary; Joseph Gibbons, violation of proba-

June 20 -Wilson Philomene, 19, violation of probation; Samaria Webber, 26, posses-sion of marijuana under 20

June 21 - Jimmy Lee McClorin, 35, armed bur-glary, carrying a concealed weapon and resisting arrest without violence; Gregory Lynn Monroe, 37, burglary; Harold Green, 34, dealing in stolen property.

Juvenile, 13, aggravated domestic battery; Juvenile, 15, attempted grand theft 15, attempted grand theft auto, auto burglary and pos-session of burglary tools; Juvenile, 16, attempted grand theft auto and auto burglary; Juvenile, 16, attempted grand theft auto and auto burglary; Juvenile, 16, con-tempt of court, and two counts of failure to appear.

June 23 - Jonas Alcin, 23, domestic battery; Talbert Beckford, 42, aggravated battery with a deadly weapon.

The police news in this newspaper lists arrests, not convictions, unless otherwise stated. Arrested persons who later are found not guilty or have had the charges against them dropped are welcome to let us know. We will confirm the information and print it.

#### UF/IFAS Everglades Research and Education Center employee named University of Florida "Employee of the year"

Norman L. Harrison, computer programmer at the University of Florida's Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences Everglades Research and Education Center at Belle Glade has been named 'Employee of the Year' at the University of Florida Mr. Harrison will represent the University of Florida at "Florida Salute to Public Service" to be held at the Governor's Mansion in Tallahasses in June.

Mr. Harrison was also one of six employees recognized for superior service to the University of Florida and received a Superior Accomplish-

ment Award for Scientific/Technical service. The Superior Accomplishment Award program honors University of Florida employees who exhibit outstanding and meritorious service and have directly improved the quality of life for students and other employees.

A native of Lake Harbor, Mr. Harrison attended Lake Shore High School and is involved with several community service organizations in the City of Belle Glade. He is the son of Mrs. Lela Harrison of Belle Glade and is married and the father of three.

# Colorado students raise money to help save Florida Everglades

Help to save the Everglades is coming from 24 middle school students in Colorado whose interest in Everglades er Chris Wilson of Laredo Midwhose interest in Everglades \$1,000 to donate to the Ever-glades "Can-do" Campaign. The campaign was started last December by noted landscape photographer Clyde Butcher in an effort to collect a million dollars towards Everglades restoration.

estoration. For each \$1,000 donated, For each \$1,000 donated, Butcher gives a black and white photograph of the Ever-glades to the contributor. To date, the campaign has brought in nearly \$17,000. Contributions have come from individuals, organizations and corporations including Flo-Sun Sugar and United States Sugar Corporation.

For the Colorado students, interest in the Everglades

started last January after viewing a CBS television news report featuring Butcher and

er Chris Wilson of Laredo Mid-dle School in Aurora, Colorado contacted the South Florida Water Management District to find out more information on Everglades restoration and to express his student's desire to raise money for the "Can-do"

campaign.
"Water has historically been "Water has historically been a controversial issue in Colorado for decades," said Wilson. "So the kids here have a sensitivity to water issues, particularly since we tend to have a lack of it at times. With two national parks in Colorado, they know the value of land and the environment. They feel the Everglades belongs to everyone and that we all have to take part in trying to save it."

With the end of the school year fast approaching, the stu-dents had three weeks to raise

the money by selling T-shirts and cleaning cars, In fact, time went so fast that they'll have to wait until the next school year to see the results of their labor. Wilson says all 28 students will be back when school starts. He plans to have an official ceremony recognizing their fund-raising efforts. The photograph, he says, will hang in the school where everyone will see the beauty of the Everglades and appreciate their school's contribution to help save it. Those wishing to contribute to the Clyde Butcher Everglades "Can-do" Campaign may do so by sending a tax-deductible donation of \$1,000 hayable to SFWMD "Can-do". The mailing address is South Florida Water Management District, Treasury Division, P.O. Box 24680, West Palm

District, Treasury Division, P.O. Box 24680, West Palm Beach, FL 33416-4680. The black and white photograph measures 20' x 24 inches.)

## Pahokee Elks Lodge awards scholarhip

Pahokee Elks Lodge, #1638 recently awarded their first scholarship for \$500 to a Pahokee High School student. Annitha Davis of Pahokee High School student. Annitha Davis of Pahokee was awarded the scholarship at the June 10 luncheon held in her honor.

The recent high school graduate is now attending the University of Central Florida where she is majoring in psychology. Annitha where she is majoring in psychology.



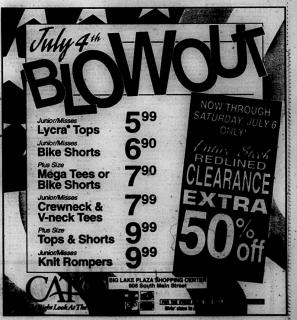
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# Lopez - Ruiz to wed in July



Rolando & Zoila Lopez of Belle Glade are proud to announce the engagement and

Bells Glade are proud to smounce the engagement and upcoming wedding of their daughter Teresa Lopes to Orelvis Ruiz, son of Orestes & Aleida Ruiz of Belle Glade. The bride-elect is a graduate of Lynn University of Boca Raton, Fl., as a Physical Therapy Assistant. She is presently employed by Glades General Hospital in the Physical Therapy Department.

The bride-groom will soon graduate from West Technical Educational Center of Belle Glade as an Auto/Diesel Robert of the Company of



CANAL POINT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH WELCOMED NEW MINIS

12. Pictured above in front of Parsonage at Canal Point are: Pastor Greg (on the right)
Chairperson, CPUMO Pastor-Parrish Relations Committee, in the foreground; and Dennis
person, CPUMO Board of Trustees, in the rear.

#### Douterames

Hurst
Cassandra Desiree Hurst,
15, born May 6, 1991 in Boynton Beach, Fl., to Desiree
Rerick and Hubert H. Hurst,
died June 22, 1996 at Florida
Hospital Waterman, Eustis,

Beach, Fl.; father, Hubert H. Hurst of Lantana, Fl.; brothers - Joshua & Jacob Hurst, both of Lantana, Fl.; maternal grandparents - Chuck & Bar-bara Slaughter of Tenn.; and paternal grandparents -Hubert & Patricia Hurst of Lantana, Fl. Funeral services were held

Tuesday, June 25, 1996 at 11 a.m. at Bass Okeechobee Funeral Home Chapel, Okeechobee, with Dan Hurst officiating. Interment followed at Evergreen Cemetery in Okeechobee, Fl.

Bass Okeechobee Funeral Home, Okeechobee, had charge of the arrangements.

# Bob Wilkerson in concert at the Pahokee Church of the Nazarene

On Sunday, June 30, Bob Wilkerson of Mashville, Tenn., will present a program of workship experience. Bob is the son of Royce Gospel music at the Pahokee Church of the Mazarene at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Bob attended Trevecca Nazarene University and is a graduate of Emmanuel Bible College in Mashville. He writes most of the songs he sings.

# Lung Association offers free Hurricane preparation pamphlet

Hurricane season runs from June 1 through Nov. 30. The American Lung Association of Southeast Florida (ALASEF) and the Palm Beach County Division of Emergency Man-agement urges everyone with breathing problems to develop

a personal hurricane plan. To of charge and will offer individuals with breathing conditions the ALASEF and Palm Beach County Emergency Management has developed a hurricane preparation pamphlet for individuals with breathing the properties of the properties of the part of the properties of the prope

# Canal Point United Methodist Church welcomed new Minister

Canal Point United Methodist Church welcomed their new minister, Rev. Gregory Sampson, on Sunday, June 12.

Pastor Greg is originally from Maryland. After graduating from the University of Maryland his professional career took him to Indians, III. and Boca Raton, Fl., where he received his call into full-time ministry.

He recently graduated from Asbury Theological Seminary and was ordained at the Florida Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church in Lakeland, Fl., at which time he

received his assignment to Canal Point.
He is filling the pulpit recently vacated by
Rev. Jackie McMillan who, along with her husband Rev. Don McMillan (Community United
Methodist Church in Belle Glade), was transferred to St. Petersburg, Fl.
Part of Pastor Greg's welcome "initiation"
included officiating over his first wedding, the
marring of Joseph "Andy" Harrington and
Ranse Roberts on June 22.
Canal Point United Methodist Church congratulates Andy and Ranse and also welcomes
Pastor Greg.

#### Correction:

In last week's edition of *The Sun*, we misprinted an article by titling the Canal Point United Methodist Church in Belle Glade with the Canal Point United Methodist Church in Canal Point. The Sun staff apolizes for the error and the following is a corrected version of the article.

#### Changes

On Sunday, June 9, the members of Community United Methodist Church, Belle Glade, shad "Farewell" to the Reverends Don and Jackie McMillan, our pastoral family and friends for the past six years.

A covered dish dinner was seyred in Jameson Hall, followed by special music by the chancel choir and the

handbell choir. A hymn-sing, and personal tributes by a number of people, wounded out the afterneon's activities: fields of service in the 18th. The dinner was attended by more than 150 members of the church, local ministers, and friends.

Don and Jackie (whe is the pastor of Canal Point United Methodist Church) have and equite an impression on Glade.



















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SOUTH BAY

# Glades Central Community High School hosts summer session of Summer School

Special Session (Summer School) for students in grads 6-12 will be at Glades Central Community High School, 1001 S.W. Ave. M. The following

complete a required course; students in eleventh and twelfth grade who need to take a required course or need to improve their grade point average; exceptional education The following-students may attend this session: students in grades 6-12 who Students in ninth and tenth need to improve their skills; grade who need to successfully and students of other lan-

guages in grades 6-12 who need to improve their English skills.

Registration will be in the registration will be in the cafeteria on July 2 from 8 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Classes will begin July 8 at 7:50 a.m. For additional information contact the office at 993-4403.

# Glades Day School honor roll. sixth six weeks grading period

**Grades 7 - 12** 

Grades 7 - 12

Seventh grade:
All X\* - Peggy Altman,
Joanna Alvarez, Robert
Bussey, Nina Conte, Angie
Gonzalez, Becky Outz, Marybeth Tymik, and Heather York.
A's & B's - Randy Benson,
Chris Carter, Kristen Gilliam,
Joni Harrington, Kristin Hatton, Crystal Hefferman, Laura
Ann Martin, Summer Miller,
Yasmin Mohamad, Donna
Marie Moss, Denise Penuel,
Denise Pewell, Matt Prescot,
Lisette Ramirez, Joanna Rumfelt, Kristina Sanchez,
Stephen Senif, Tyne Stull, and
Ashley Veale.

Fietht grade:

Eight grade:
All A's - Kelly Alvarez, Josh
Braddock, Lindsay Curtiss,
Jonathan Lively, and Nisha
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A's & B's - Evelyn Fabelo,
Andy Hollingsworth, Miranda
Humphries, Josh Kannel, Sandra Lines, Cristina Llorens,
Melissa Molina, Julie Morales,
Saulin Quan, Emily Rees,
Chrissy Stevens, Jai Subramanya, AiLien Torrecilla, Erica Williams, and Kyle Woodban.

Ninth grade: All A's Kit Hamilton; Derek Lamb, Eddie Motes, and

Berek Lamb, Sodie Motes, and Brooke Prescott. A's & B's - Brian Allison, Julie Baumgartner, Crystal Brown, Josh Crawford, Wesley Hawk, Steven McKinley, Jen-nifer Pate, Stephen Pate, and Donnie Scrugga.

Tenth grade:

All A's - Parker Altman, Carla Alvarez, Courtney Brad-dock, Michelle Herring, and

Emily Watson.

A's & B's - Trey Alava,
Nicole Alvarez, Brianne
Bahruth, Ashley Cunningham,
Catrina Edwards, Mary-Anne
Hollingsworth, Kristy Perez,
Alex Rey, Suzie Shatara, Kelly
Vickery, and Jimmy Wilkinson.

Eleventh grade: All A's - Jackie Alvarez, Tamam Barhoush, Mickey

Tamam Barhoush, Mickey Stevens, and Janet Towell A's & B's - Miriam Bar-housh, Lesley Carter, Stacey Cox, Jason Cunningham, Ash-ly Curtiss, Karen De Castro, Shannon Dobrow, Gada Halum, Justin Hamilton, John Holman, Heath Norman, Mon-

ica Schmidt, Laura Shiver, Melissa Tucker, and Rhied

Twelfth grade:

All A's - Malini Beharry, Jennifer Griffin, and Denelda King. A's & B's - Eddie Campbell,

Deanna Grimes, Jennifer Irsay, Mathew Lowery, Fida Musallet, Joi Salvatore, and Kellee Walden. Elementary

Main Campus Grades 1-6

First grade:
All A's Brooke Allen, Adrians Avila, Brittany Carter,
Desarae Davis, Kaele
Fontaine, Cameron Gay,
Veronica Horta, A.J. Hughes,
Brandy Johnson, Kalyn Rayburn, Alleigh Schlechter, Kaley
Schlechter, Justin West, and
Luke Woodham.
A's & B's - Robert Basore.

Luke Woodham.

A's & B's - Robert Basore,
John Presley Cohick, Bobby
Gummere, Shirley Holley,
Michael Korby, Justin Marin,
Andrew Massa, Haley McMillan, Michael McMillan, Deidre
Moss, Michael Mouton,
Christine Ruis, and Zashery
Weiland.

Second grade:

All A's - Charles Bahruth,
fobin Basore, Latariel Dennard, Noel Slesinger, and
David Woodham.
A's & B's - Brent Allen,
Courtney Allan Kanay Basah

Courtney Allen, Kasey Brook-er, Kuaansuela Brown, Jose Gonzales, Amy Hooker, Kyle Spell, and Nicholas Wingate.

Third grade:

All A's - Jaimee Alvarez Shelby Markham, and Mallory

A's & B's - Ginnie Anderson, Aliana Payret, Scott Robinson, Jennifer Romagosa, Joia Williams, and Kristen Lynch.

All A's - Preston Baez, Amanda Browder, Jenna Con-te, Elizabeth Gonzales, Aman-da Orsenigo, Anasa Orsenigo, Andrea Payret, nd Cristina Rionda.

A's & B's - Jorge Alonso,

Erin Francis, Carrie Gilmer, Kasey Hawk, Leslië Levins, Amity Massa, and Bradley Schlechter.

Fifth grade: All A's - Natalie Alvarez Sadie McKee, and Nicky

A's & B's - Gary Brooks Ronny Brown, Meagan Byrd, Blake Herring, Justin Longo-ria, Raj Subramanya, Casey Underwood, and Liz Wilson.

Sixth grade:

All A's - Matt Sanchez.
A's & B's - Hela Barhoush,
Dustin Echenique, Mallory
Grimes, Alexia Harrelle,
Vanessa Horta, Jennifer
McMillan, and Melanie Walk-

Elementary West Campus **Grades 1-6** 

K5: All A's - Daniel Barber, Caleb Duff, Erin McCarthy, Michael Shackelford, and John

A's & B's - Jessica Bair, Devon Edwards, Natalie Harville, Sara Meza, Andrew Pate, Kevin Royal, and Lauren

First grade:

Second grade:

Al's - Clarence Anthony, Jonathon Dixon, Jeffrey Edwards, Travis Hendry, Rus-sell Pate, and Bryan Royal. A's & B's - Zulay Arnold, Kirsten Duff, Lukeshia Pusey, and Apyl Lee.

Third grade:

All A's - Jay Hendry, Joanna and Keren McClellan, and

McCiellan, and Keren.
Rodriguez.

A's & B's - Joshua Chamblee, Lee Gay, Jessica Paez,
Hayley Smith, and Anilin Torrecillia.

Fourth grade: All A's - Eric Royal. A's & B's - Herneshia Spur-

Fifth grade: A's & B's - Ashley Dix Sixth grade:

A's & B's - Chandra Manuel and Georgia Pate.

Balancing the Budget from page 1

fraud in both. Welfare is a \$27
billion program and is estimated there is over \$3 billion of waste in foodstamps alone. Foley stated they are trying to get a debit card, like used at banks, so the customer would swipe it through a machine at the grocery store. The consumer wouldn't get change back from the purchase and eventually there are hopes to regulate it to the point when the production of beef. "Today you can be to be the production of beef." Today you can buy lobster with foodstamp. There is no prohibition on the quality of the meat," said Foley.

\*\*S2.2\*\* Billion is spend on making the B2 bomber. Foley stated the Pentagon doesn't stated the Pentagon doesn't stated the Pentagon doesn't seems to be stated the Pentagon doesn't stated the Pentagon doesn't seems the consumer of the meat, so the seems to be seems to be

(FICA), Corporate Income Tax-es, Excise taxes, Customs duties, Estate & gift taxes, and deposit insurance, misc. The money the federal government spends goes to Social security, medicare, medicaid, welfare and other entitlements, trans-poration, education, defense, foreign aid, and Interest on the debt

In 1995, the federal budgets total ncome was \$1,448,000,000,000 The federal budget's expense totaled \$1,624,000,000,000. The total deficit for 1995 was \$176 bill

hon.

The federal budget for fiscal year 1996 is estimated at \$1.6 trillion. This means the federal government spends \$4.4 billion a day, \$183 million an hour, \$3 million per minute, and \$50,736 every second.

The secret of boring people lies in telling them everything.

—Voltaire



**Coming Soon!** 

The Directory to the Glades Business Community

In August The Sun newspaper will be printing a booklet promoting Glades Businesses, from the smallest to the largest. The directory will be an informative guide for new and current residents in an 8 by 11 inch booklet format. The cost is \$100 per page, per business. Call Penny Lester at 996-4404 if you would like to participate.

# South Bay's HIPPY awards ceremony, held at Rosenwald Elementary

South Bay's HIPPY awards celebration was held at Rosenwald Elementary on Thursday, June 6, 1996 at 7 p.m. Mayor Clarence Anthony was the honored speaker for the evening. Also on hand for the celebration was Belle Glade Mayor Stave Weeks. the celebration was Belle Glade Mayor Steve Weeks, Belle Glade City Manager Lomax Harrelle, South Bay Gity Commissioner Willie Marshall, West Area Superintendent Eugenia Jones, and HIP-PY advisory board members Phyllis Howden, Maureen Hudson, and Jack Holcolm. Rosenwald's handbell choir under the direction of Ms. Becky Waison performed beautifully for the audience.

The theme for the evening was 'Olympic in Nature'.

Mitchell Williams was the flag bearer followed by the HIPPY children entering the cafeteria with a flashight torch. Before entering the stage the children touched a larger torch, the

Torch of Knowledge:
Each parent received a
"First Teacher Award" and
each HIPPY child a certificate
of completion. Principal Harrell, Mayor Anthony, and Mayor Weeks presented each HIPPY child with a gold medal.
Mr. Michael Delthut was choesen as HIPPY Father of the
Year, and Mrs. Sarah Davis
was chosen as HIPPY Mother
was chosen as HIPPY Mother

was chosen as HIPPY Mother of the Year.

of the Year.

HIPPY volunteers were also conored for their dedication all lear to the HIPPY program.

A slide presentation entitled,

"One Moment in Time" was dedicated by the coordinator to the parent educators, HIPPY parents and children, and to HIPPY volunteers.

Contributors from this area and the coast who are the "HIPPY Angels" were also recognized. Angels were decorated throughout the cafeteria with the names of those con-

tributors.

'Thank You' to each and every one of you who in your own unique way have given your time and energy in so making the HIPPY program at Rosenwald Elementary the success that it is and will continue to be.

Lorrie Moore HIPPY Coordinator



HIPPY STAFF AND ROSENWALD PRINCIPAL... Pictured above from left to right are: Laure Garza, Guadalupe Garcia, Alya Ledisman, Coordinator Lorrie Moore, Mary Johnson, Principal Farlyne Harrell, and Donna Murdock.



GIVING HIPPY GOLD MEDALS... Pictured above from left to Weeks, Rosenwald Principal Earlene Harrell, and South Bay Mayor Cl hand out HIPPY Gold Medals to each of the HIPPY children.

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HIPPY MOTHER OF THE YEAR... Pictured above HIPPY Coordinator Lorrie Moore presented Mrs. Sarah Davis with an HIP PY trophy for her dedication this year.

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williams. Dorentes williams. HIPPV volunteers are a huge help in the program. This year's HIPPY volunteers are listed below. Pancho Garcia, Charles McGrady, Roberto Saldivar, Semiramis Saldivar, Donna Murdock, Margie McGrady, Nobila Escobedo, Jennifer Catholic, Angela Briscoe, Officer Robert Drake, Trooper Carter, Lucilla Garcia, Cindy Garcia, Lucinda Cullum, Michael Delfut, Silie Vaughn, and Delfut, Wile Vaughn, and

Carcia, Lucinda Cullum, Michael DeHut, Stile Vaughn, and Nathaniel Malone. A big Thank You to HIPPY Angels who donated time and goodies to the program. The HIPPY Angels who donated time and code is to the program. The HIPPY Angels are listed below. Heirloom Creations, Seminole Supply McDonalds, Big Lake Snack Sales, Brace Frozen Foods, Sonia Cavosos, Pisza Hut, Noelia Escobedo, Maria Segura, Circuit City, Ana Baez, Diane Baumann, Jennifer Adams, Barbara Tyler, Mary Johnson, Olga Ledesma, Gilbert's Jewelser, Panche Garcia, Lake Hardware, Walmart, Mamie Washington, Carcia, Lake Hardware, Walmart, Mamie Washington, Stone Carcia, Lake Hardware, Walmart, Marie Washington, Piloriat, Mrs. DuBois, Winn Dixie's Donecio Rodriguez, McCrory's, Chief Napier, Officer Williams, Myron Carter, LaFrontera Corration, HIPPY Advisory Board, Rosenwald's Office Supply, Lake Welding Supply, Edem Construction Company, and of course - Principal Earlyne Harrell.

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# West Technical Education Center held graduation ceremony June 11

1995/96 celebration honored 109 students

On June 11, 1996. West Technical Education Center held a celebration to honor their 109 students who graduited this year.

The celebration began with a processional from the graduates, along with the Presentation of Colors by the Belle Glade Police Explorers followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

giance.

Ma. Cassandra Lowery sang a musical selection before Assistant Director Wallace DuPont gave the welcome.

Belle Glade City Commissioner Harma Miller introduced speakers Cassandra Lowery, Rosa Martines, and Thomas Cherizard, and was followed by a musical selection by Anders Lubin.

The presentation of the

by Anders Lubin.

The presentation of the Class of '96 was given by Director Shirley Speakes; Presentation of Certificates, and the Recognitin of Faculty was given by Director Shirley Max-

son.
Director Shirley Speakes
gave special recognitions,
Director Maxson gave final
remarks, and the graduates
gave a recessional to close the
ceremony before endulging in
refreshments in the commercial foods classroom.
The following is a list of
graduates:

graduates:
Accounting - Camilla
Brown, Pamela Fudge,
Kenitha Pettway, and Priscilla
Ward.

Ward.
Agri-Mechanics - Allen
Mark Billie, Robert Moore, and
Lynwood Spooner.
Auto Body - Eric Lewis,
Andrew McLeod, Ricky Mosley,
David Powell, and Henri Soler.
Auto Tech - Jon M. Douglass, Alessandro Laham Jr.,
and Harold Otto.
Building Maintenance Cedrick Harris, and Carnelius
Jones.

ones. Carpentry - John Belizarre, Terrance Davis, and Milton

Child Care Asst. - Judith

Unild Care Asst. - Judith
O'Farrill.
Child Care Supv. - Teresa
Dasher, Sharon Gray, Daisy
Jones, and Cassandra Lowery.
Commercial Foods - Sheteka Battle, Priscilla Duckworth,
Brenda Leon, and Anthony
Zottoli.

Zottoli.
Cosmetology - Maida Hernandes, Caridad Penton, and Rosa Rodriguez.
Data Entry - Marisol Camacho, Vanesas Richardson, Krisa Rubenstein, Sharon Singletary, and Kelly York.
Electricity - Jose Camacho,

Oscar Camacho, James Dover, David Etzel, Patrick Iuzzulino, William Jones, Jean Louis Jou-

bert, Richard Jump, Malcolm Miles, James Okell, Carlos Quintana, Lennard Scott, Mar-cus Thomas, and James Wolfe. Emergency Medical Tech-nician (EMT) - Ronald E. Bock, Jeffery R. Brann, Vir-ginia Brown, Frank Lasagna, Philip L. Orrico, and Edward R. York.

R. York.

GED - Guillermina Almendarez, Yolanda Casas, Maria
Josefina Diaz, Maria
Dominguez, Patricia Finkley,
Sonia Garcia, Martha Lule,
Helen Mejia, Maria Rodriguez,
Yesenia Rodriguez, Jacquine
Ruiz, Olga Ruiz, Iris Sorto,
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er, Flora Bennett, Dionne Campbell, Wilma Oliver, Gwendolyn Patrick, Marcia Sinclair, and Cathy Woodson.

Medical Secretarial -Helen Mejia, Irma Melchor, Melanie Morris, and Marina Salinas

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Patient Care Assistant - Tabitha Atkins, Hilaria Aguirre, Tajakica Babb, Emma Barnett, Taneka Bell, Bascelia Blance, Deborah Bostic, Sarah Bradley, Sonya Brown, Kitha Coleman, Mireya Copen, Ruthaquasha Brown, Kitha Coleman, Mireya Copen, Ruthaquasha Brown, Kitha Coleman, Mireya Copen, Ruthaquasha Brinkley, Latanya Burham, Monique Edwards, Patricia Finkley, Latanya Haynes, Tamika Holmes, Sandra Hudson, Jacquelline Jackson, Wanda Johnson, Jacquelline Dennedy, Tracy Kinsler, Connile Lee, Sharis Lott, Rosa Martines, Deondara Menifield, Wilma Mosley, Orlene Neal, Vonzille Patterson, Deborah Perry, Shinan Porter, Barbara Rodriguez, Robin Rolle, Rosla Royal, Rose Saunders, Charbette Thompson, Juditha Walk-witz Hompson, Juditha Walk-

Perry, Shinan Porter, Barbara Rodriguer, Robin Rolle, Rosla Royal, Rose Saunders, Charbite Thompson, Juditha Walker, Toni Wilcox, Mildred Williams, Rashena Williams, and Patricia Zamora.

Phlebotomy - Erlinda Brown, Susan Conley, Marion Gordon, Sandy Grant, Angela Hong, Walker Marker, Silve, Mario Sumpter, and Toni T. Wilcox.

Practical Nursing - Tiffany Arnold, Rachel Battles, Dominique Brown, Lester Kincaid, Angela Lane, Natalia Racie Swiford.

Secretarial Services - Gloria Hudson.

STAR - Thomas A. Alston,

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Camacho, Dena Cole James Brendan Downey, James Brendan Dovney, Elisabeth Esparra, David Etrel, Clinton Haas, Ronald Keith Hart, Weatherington Hobs, Olidmy Jeoboam, William Jones, Michael Kahn, Aric LaFerriere, Alessandro J. Laham, James Ley, Christina League, James Locklair, Brian Mann, Christina McKennat, Kenneth McLeod. Jamie

Mann, Christina McKenna, Kenneth McLeod, Jamie Moomey, Harold Otto, David Petro, Evelyn Rodriguez, Kriss Rubenstein, Myrla Ruiz, Corey Simpson, Robert Sluder, Elvira Trevino, Trinidad Valencia, Steven Walker, James Wrye, and Kelly York. Welding - Justin Caswell, Robert Sluder, and Corey Simpson.

Faculty recognition is as fol-

lows:
Teresa Brancati, Praetical
Nursing; Jacqueline Downend,
Patient Care Assistant;
Michael Durbin, Cosmetology;
Patrice Elysee, English for
Speakers of Other Languages
(ESOL); Paul Fisher, Heating,
Ventilation, Air Conditioning
& Refrigeration/Major Appliance Ropair; Dave Gallo, Electircity (Cluster); Joyce Giffin,
Commercial Foods Culinary
Arts; Denise Ireland, Special
Needa Assessment Evaluator
(SNAE) Tyrone Kline, Welding; Needs Assessment Evaluator (SNAP) Tyrone Kline, Welding; Pat Kujawski, Students Targeted at Risk (STAR)/(Drop Out Prevention); Linda Leonard, Child Care; Diana McGuire, Infomation Processing; Medical Secretarial/Office Support Services; Florence Maitland, Occupational Specialist; Harma Miller, English for Speakers of Other Languagea (ESOL); Maria Monzon, General Educational Development (GED)/Principle of the Alphabetic Literacy System (PALS); Manuel Moyatem (PALS); Manuel Moyat Development (GED)/Principle
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Data Entry; William Smith,
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Shirley Speakes, System for
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WEST TECHNICAL EDUCATIONAL CENTER CELEBRATED GRADUATION '96... on Tuesday, June 11, at the Lee Berryhill Student Center at 7 p.m. This year West Tech graduated approxi-mately 190 students.

## Junior Achievement commends PBCC

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made by the students is then used to teach business principles and marketing principles. Recently Dr. Helen B. Franke, Provost of Palm Beach Communi-ty College, Glades Campus, said Thank you' to the Junior Achieve-

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# Volunteers to collect amendment petition signatures at post offices on Cost-Of-Government Day, July 3

In honor of Cost-of-Govern-ment Day, Wednesday, July 3, volunteers will be at select Flori-la post offices to collect signa-tures for Tax Cap Committee's

tures for Tax Cap Committee's totapeyer and property rights consistantional amendment petitions. Cost-of-Government Day is the date the average American has eigned enough to pay off all his total, which includes all federal, state and local government spending together with the cost of regulation, equaled \$13,000 for

every man, woman and child in the country. Of this amount, \$2,800 is for regulatory costs alone.

The average American worked more than half of the yeer just to pay the cost of runaway government spending and overreaching regulation; noted David Batch and the committee. For the people of Florida the situation is getting even worse. For east, noting the state and local taxes in the Sunshine State are increasing fast to the view of the state and having their assets than population growth and contractive of the state of th more than half of the year just to pay the cost of runaway govern-ment spending and overreaching regulation," noted David Bid-dulph, chairman of the Tax Cap Committee. For the people of Florida the situation is getting even worse," he said, noting that state and local taxes in the Sun-shine State are increasing faster than population growth and inflation combined, and faster

tions."
The Tax Cap Committee volun-

toers will be collecting signatures to put three constitutional amendment proposals on the Nov ballot that will provide this protection. One amendment is your Approval Required for New Taxes. It would require that any new taxes in Florida, or the removal of any existing tax exemption, be put before the voters for approval.

Another amendment, Property Might, would assure homeowners and other property owners the chance to seek compensation when government action refuses the value of their home or other

property. And a third proposed amendment, the People's Property Rights amendment, would make it easier for citizens to put property protection initiatives on the ballet by eliminating the single subject restriction that the Florida Supreme Court has used to disqualify previous property rights initiatives.

TAX Limitation, another Tax Cap amendment proposal, will make it more difficult for politicians and special interest groups to impose a personal income tax on Florida by requiring a two-thirds vote on any constitutional

Proposition One.

Tax Cap Committee is a statewide, grassroots, nonpartisan and nonprofit organization committed to protecting all citi-

## Cummings honored

"More so than any other recreational or cultural resource in America, the story of trail in the United States has been written by volunteers," said Kevin M. Donahue, 'Whoram's Vice President of Marketing and Sales. In honor of National Trails Day, we selected Paul Cummings as the Vibram Volunteer of the Year for the State of Florida because of his tireless efforts.

Paul Cummings assisted governmental agencies in certifying the Lake Okeechober Trail as part of the Florida National Scenic Trail. he plainned a project that involved volunteers planting native shade trees along the open trail on the Lake Okeechobee dike portion of this trail. Through Mr. Cumming's efforta, the Greater Lake Okeechobee Trail is a 107 mile greenway bringing increased awareness of hiking and recreational opportunities around



1996 VIBRAM VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR Sunny Pisurka is presenting Paul Cummings with the

at a dedication ceremony on June 1 on the Lake Okee-

plaque, a pair of Thorlo hiking socks, a trail book from Back-packer Magazine, a Cordura gear bag, and a Vibram key chain.

# Belle Glade Winn Dixie announces completion of remodeling

The Winn-Dixie Markstplace located in the Big Lake Shopping Center, 900 S. Main Sfreet, Belle Glade, will mark the official completion of its remodeling and nearly 17,000-square-foot expansion Thursday, June 27. As a Winn-Dixie Marketplace, the 51,900-square-foot supermarket features new departments, services and colors. "We at Winn-Dixie are committed to providing our customers with the best possible service and selection," said R.J. Ehster, president, Winn-Dixie Mismi. To achieve that goal, we constantly evaluate our stores and search for ways to offer our customers the most complete shopping experience. The changes to this Marketplace will improve the store's environment and help us better serve our shoppers."

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During the remodeling period, customers have seen several changes take place at the store. The new Winn-Dixie Marketplace includes such specialty departments as a Deli, featuring a wide assortment of hunch meats, fresh deli sandwiches, cold salads, and more; a Bakery offering customers a selection of freshly baked breads, pastries, and other delicious dessert items, Fisherman's Wharf for fresh seafood; a Floral department offering fresh-cut flowers, Jush-green tropical plants, and helium-filled belloons; and a Melon Bar with a selection of freshly prepared fruit salads.

Each Winn-Dixie department is staffed with

experts ready to assist customers with special requests. For instance, helpful associates can steam live Maine lobeters, decorate a wedding or birthday cake, or prepare a unique flower arrangement. For additional customer convenence, Winn-Dixie now provides an in-store ATM and accepts debit cards for quick check-out. All these services are available to customers 7 a.m. - 11 p.m. Monday - Saturday and Sundays from 7 am. - 10 p.m.

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The remodeling also includes a refreshing, new environment in which to shop. All the store's departments and services will now be displayed in Winn-Dixie's newest store design. This new look features a teal and rose color exhering and stronger department identification with attractive diamond and graphic designs.

We thank our customers for their ongoing patronage and patience, especially during the remodeling period, 'said location manager Dionisio Rodrigues. These changes will help us continue to provide our customers with custsanding service at the every day low prices they have come to expect from Winn Dixie.

Winn-Dixie Store, Inc., is one of the nation's largest supermarket retailers, with more than 1,180 stores throughout 14 states and the Bahamas Winn-Dixie Mismi operates 125 stores in South Florida. The company is dedicated to providing customers with the lowest prices every day.

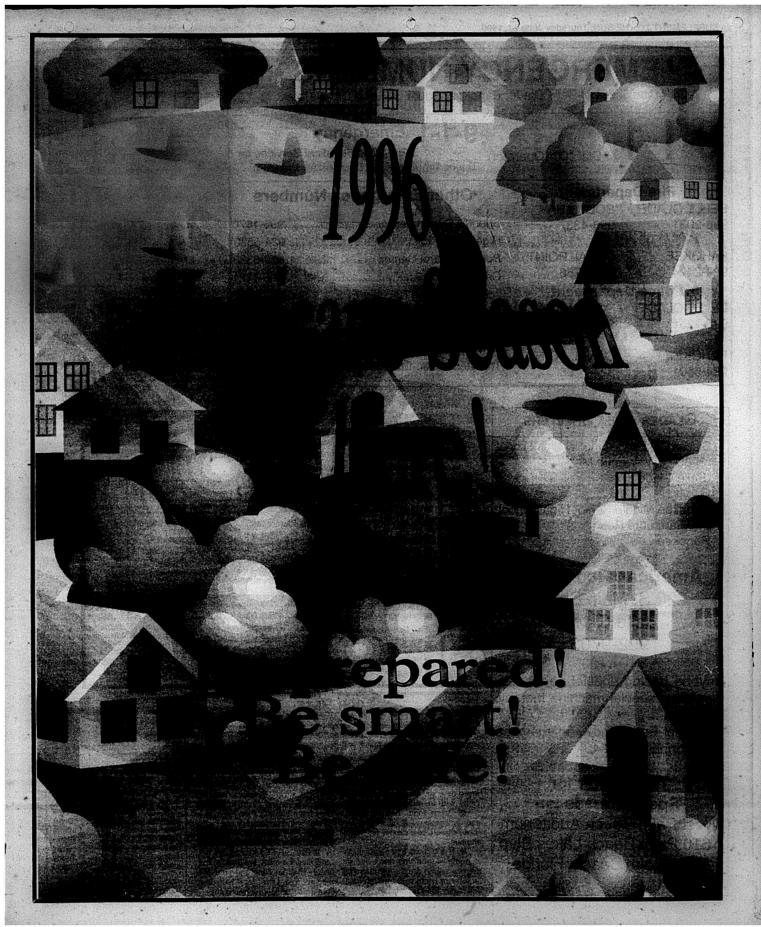












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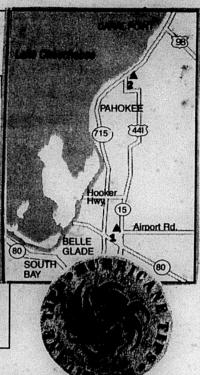
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- Blankets and pillows or a sleeping bag
- Beach chair, chaise lounge
- Changes of clothing, soap, deodorant, etc.
- Flashlights and batteries
- A radio and batteries
- Small games, books, magazines, cards
- Baby needs: disposable diapers, formula, etc.

#### DO NOT BRING

- Pets
- Alcoholic beverages
- Smoking materials
- Heavy luggage or several pieces
- Valuables

#### YOUR PETS

Pets will not be allowed in emergency shelters, so make plans now with friends. Some veterinarians have set up a network of shelters in animal hospitals, though space will be limited.

#### BEFORE THE STORM

- Make sure vaccinations are up to date and that your pet has a collar with identification.
- Bring food, bottled water and necessary medications for three days. Use a carrier for small animals.
- If you must leave your pets at home — and you don't live in the evacuation area — put them in an interior room with enough food and water for several days.

If your barn can't withstand a storm surge, livestock may be safer in a fenced pasture. Ensure they have identification such as a tattoo, brand or harness tag.

#### AFTER THE STORM

Be careful letting your pet outdoors. Familiar landmarks and scents may be gone and your pet may get lost. Don't let it consume contaminated food or water.

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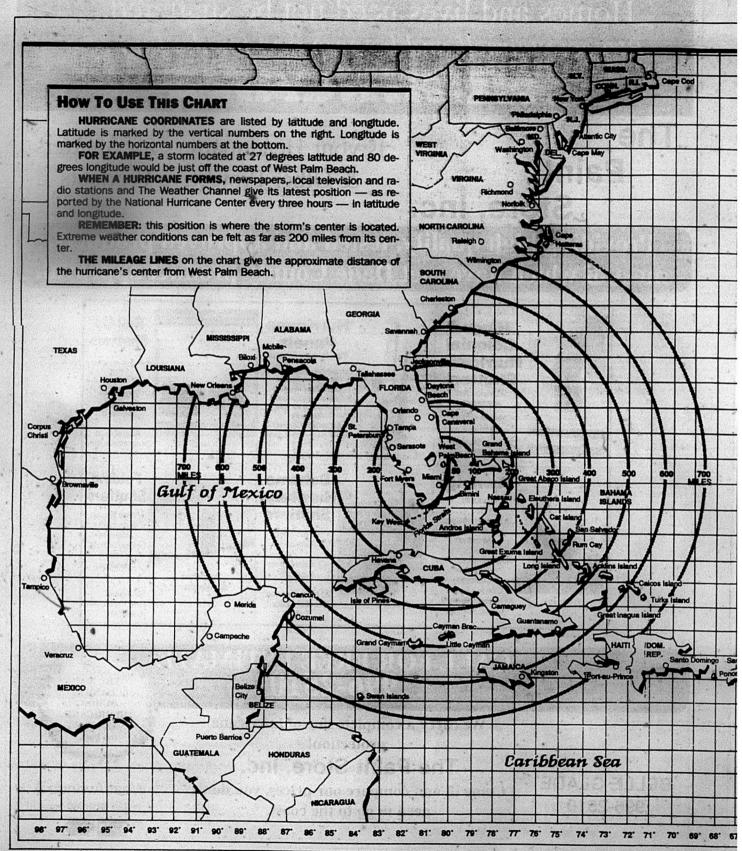
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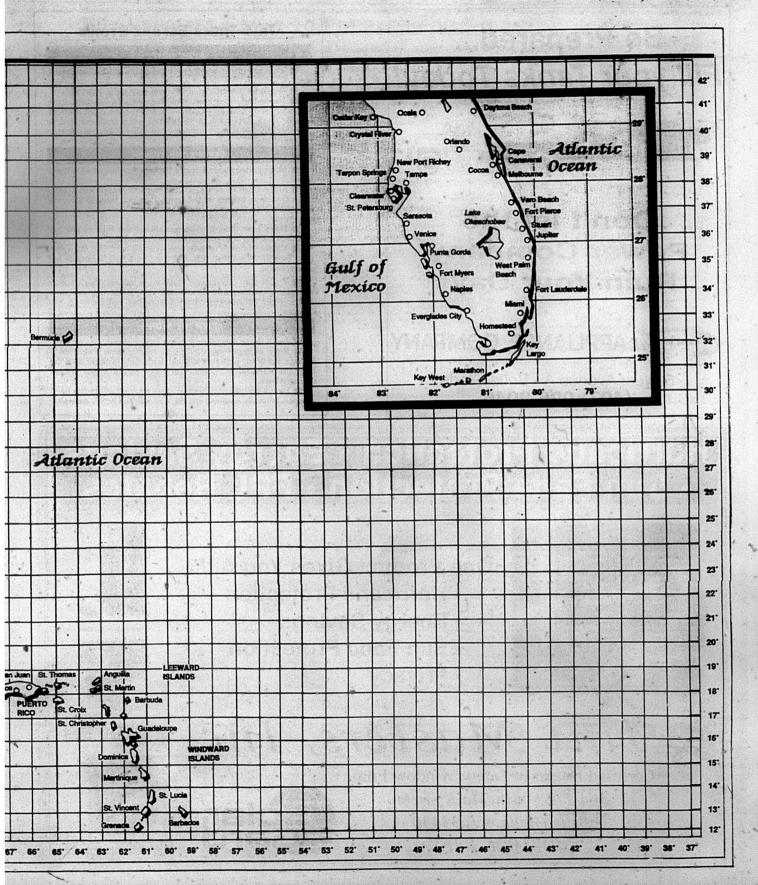
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#### TRIM TREES BEFORE STORM

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- Watch for power lines if you trim your trees yourself.
- Depending on where you live, you can usually leave trimmings at the curb for pickup but don't once a watch has been issued. Trash pickup will be suspended, and a fresh-cut stack of potential missiles is more dangerous to you and your house than unpruned trees.

#### BEFORE THE STORM

- Move potted plants, hanging baskets, seedlings and cuttings inside.
- Stake small or newly planted trees to anchor them, tying them at various heights on the trunk. Pass ties through pieces of old garden hose to prevent trunk scarring and leave slack for some movement.
- If you have time, try to prune shrubs and vines to one-half their current height to prevent permanent damage.
- Vulnerable trees include ficus, acacias, bischofia, Australian pine, Norfolk Island pine, silk oak, royal poinciana, jacaranda and gumbo limbo.
- Try to strip coconuts and take them indoors. Don't bother with citrus or other fruit. It will take up valuable time and, in a storm, you'll be worrying about flying glass and concrete, not oranges.

#### AFTER THE STORM

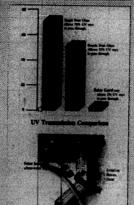
- Don't throw away plants. Many can be saved.
- Right listing or uprooted trees, staking them if necessary. Replace and firmly pack root soil, but don't apply fertilizer until the tree has reestablished itself. Cut away jagged edges around damaged bark.
- Do not use pruning paint on spots where the bark has been stripped. It is only cosmetic and the tree will heal better naturally.

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#### HARDWARE

Hand tools — hammer, screwdrivers to use now, shovel and pickax for after the storm

Power screwdriver 4-by-8-foot sheets of ply-

wood %-inch to 1/2-inch thick to put over your windows. Make sure you ask for exterior ply-

14-inch machine screw sockets and screws

■ Plastic sheeting to cover furniture

Rope

 Sturdy working gloves ■ Duct tape to waterproof

items. Masking tape isn't strong



Nails. There are many kinds, so look over your home now and determine what you will need. A nail too small, the wrong shape or hammered in wrong will fail, and that will give the storm the breach it needs to get into your home.

#### **HURRICANE KIT**

Assemble this now. Put aside what you can in a special box in the garage. Keep heat-sensitive items inside your home and rotate stock throughout the hurri-cane season. Batteries can go in the refrigerator.

Flashlights and extra bulbs

Battery-operated radio ■ Fully charged battery-op-erated lanterns. Don't get candles and kerosene lanterns. They are fire hazards.

Extra batteries

Matches

Clock (wind-up or batteryoperated)

■ Plastic garbage bags

Working fire extinguishers

Scissors

 Clean change of clothes, rain gear, sturdy swamp boots you won't mind having to throw away later

An inexpensive rabbitears television antenna to use when the cable goes out

Map of the area

List of phone numbers
Copy of insurance policy

#### **MEDICAL NEEDS**

Drugstores will be mobbed just before the storm and may be closed for days after. If you are on prescriptions, keep a two-week supply.

■ Medic-alert tags

■ Insect repellent sprays and candles

Sunscreen

Soap

First-aid kit

First-aid handbook

A supply of any prescription drugs you might need

■ Extra over-the-counter medicine (for colds, allergies, cough)

Children's medicines

Aspirin

Diarrhea medication

Bandages Adhesive tape

Cotton-tipped swabs

Antiseptic solution

Sterile rolls, bandages

■ Tweezers■ Needles

Disinfectant

#### **BABY NEEDS**

■ Disposable diapers

■ Wipes

Diaper-rash ointment, petroleum jelly

■ Baby medicines (pain, cold, cough)

■ Medicine dropper

Extra formula, baby food

#### **EMERGENCY TOILET**

Small can or garbage can with tight lid

Plastic bags for liners

Disinfectant or bleach Deodorizer

#### KITCHEN SUPPLIES

Manual can opener

Bottle opener

Matches in a plastic bag

■ Pocketknife — preferably Swiss Army-style

■ Camp stove or other cooking device and plenty of fuel. Use

canned fuel, not charcoal or gas

Ice chests or coolers Paper plates, napkins

Plastic cups, knives, forks, spoons

#### STORMS TO REMEMBER

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■ ANDREW: 1992, Bahamas, Florida, Louisiana: 26 direct deaths, 62 indirect; \$25 billion damage, at least \$16 billion just in southern Dade County, where 250,000 were left homeless. History's costliest hurricane and third most powerful to strike U.S.

■ DAVID: 1979, Dominican Republic, Dominica and Florida, 1,200 dead. Last storm to strike Palm Beach County.

■ CAMILLE: 1969. Mississippi and Louisiana; 256 dead; \$3.8 billion in damage. Second most powerful storm ever to strike U.S.

THE NIGHT 2,000 DIED: 1928, West Indies and Florida; 6,000 dead, 1,800 to 2,000 of them in Glades when Lake Okeechobee dike fails. Third deadliest natural disaster in U.S. history. \$50 million damage.



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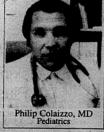
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